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EXPRESSED GENES BASED ON MULTIVARIATE MICROARRAY DATA
ANALYSIS

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants filed a U.S. National Phase patent application on September 7, 2004. At the time of filing, Applicants' counsel believed Applicants qualified for large entity status. The required fee of \$730.00 for an Applicant claiming large entity status was charged to deposit account no. 08-1641. Since then, Applicants' counsel has been informed that Applicants do qualify for small entity status under 35 USC 1.27.

Therefore, Applicants are entitled to a refund of \$365.00, half the initial filing fee paid on September 7, 2004.

The Patent and Trademark Office is accordingly requested to make a refund in the form of a check in the amount of \$365.00 forwarded to the undersigned at the address indicated below. This paper is being submitted in duplicate for the convenience of the Finance Branch.

Respectfully submitted,

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